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From: Easterling, Deborah
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2011 12:03 PM
To: 'Erion Rosemond'
Subject: RE: STOP the ENERGY RATE HIKE INCREASE REQUEST by DUKE ENERGY CAROLINAS

Dear Mr. Rosemond,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your email to the Public Service Commission. I am forwarding your email to our Clerk's Office for processing. Your email will become a part of Docket No. 2011-271-E and will be posted on our website under this docket.

Please let me know if you should require any additional information.

Sincerely,

Deborah Easterling
Administrative Assistant

From: Erion Rosemond [<mailto:erionrosemond=att.net@change.org>] **On Behalf Of** Erion Rosemond
Sent: Friday, September 16, 2011 9:41 AM
To: Contact
Subject: STOP the ENERGY RATE HIKE INCREASE REQUEST by DUKE ENERGY CAROLINAS

I just signed the following petition addressed to: Members of the SC PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION. ----- STOP the ENERGY RATE HIKE INCREASE REQUEST by DUKE ENERGY CAROLINAS LLC Today, I signed this petition that urges you (SC PSC) to oppose allowing DUKE ENERGY CAROLINAS LLC to raise my (Residential, Commercial or Industrial) energy bills to pay for Duke Energy who is asking to begin recouping \$6.5 billion it says it has spent to modernize its system in the Carolinas and comply with environmental regulations. Simply put, "This is their (Duke Energy's) cost of doing business here in South Carolina". As I feel they are no different than any other business in South Carolina. We thoroughly recognize that one must spend money to make money. By your approval of raising ENERGY BILLS on FAMILIES, SENIORS, and BUSINESSES (Including the Commerical & Industrial sectors) will only SLOW ECONOMIC GROWTH and hurt SOUTH CAROLINA'S economic recovery. ----- Sincerely, Very Concerned South Carolinian

This rate hike request is not a fair request. The economy is higher than our income right now. May people are already suffering and sacrificing their medical needs in order to pay their utility bills. please have compassion for the loyal and dedicated customers that has supported your company all these years.

Piedmont, South Carolina